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allowing a prospective player access from a remote location to search as a function of game type, award kind, or individual player status.

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B2  
Claim 4 (amended) - The method of claim 2 including rewarding success by transport of a manifestation commemorating the success by allowing a player to designate a locale.

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B3  
Claim 7 (amended) - A method for informing prospective and existing patrons of a gaming establishment, the steps including:

posting on a wide area network information on potential awards, promotions and contests available only at the gaming establishment through wagering;

allowing a prospective player access from a remote location to search as a function of game type, award kind, or individual player status;

and updating the awards, contests, and promotions as they have been changed or previously awarded through wagering.

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Claim 9 (amended) - The method of claim 7 including allowing play from the remote location for an award at the network.

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Claim 10 (amended) - A gaming system, comprising, in combination:

means for displaying awards, contests, and promotions available at a gaming establishment through wagering on a wide area network;

means for acquiring the awards, contests and promotions at the establishment through wagering;

means for replacing the acquired contests, awards and promotions with new ones; and

means for allowing a prospective or existing patron to access from a remote location information as a function of game type, award kind, or player status.